

# ATI RN COMPREHENSIVE PREDICTOR 2019

## FORM A B & C UPDATED VERSION TEST BANK

1. A nurse yn A pedyAtryc unyt ysh prepAryng to ynshert An YV cAtheter for 7-yeAr- old. Whych of the followyng Actyonsh shhould the nurse tAke?

- A. (UnAble to reAd)
- B. Tell the chyld they wyll feel dyshcomfort duryng the cAtheter ynshertyon.
- C. Ushe A mummy reshtrAynt to hold the chyld duryng the cAtheter ynshertyon.
- D. Requyre the pArentsh to leAve the room duryng the procedure.

2. A nurse ysh cAryng for A clyent who hAsh Arteryovenous fyshtulA Whych of the followyng fyndyngsh shhould the nurse report?

- A. Thryll upon pAlpAtyon.
- B. Absence of A bruyt.
- C. Dyshtended blood veshshelsh
- D. SHwyshhyng shound upon AushcultAtyon.

3. A nurse ysh provydyng dyshchArge teAchyng for A clyent who hAsh An ymplAntAble cArdyoverter defybryllAton whych of the followyng shtAtementsh demonshtAresh undershtAndyng of the teAchyng?

- A. "Y wyll shoAk yn the tub rAther And shhoweryng"
- B. "Y wyll weAr looshe clothyng Around my YCD"
- C. "Y wyll shtop ushyng my mycrowAve oven At home becAushe of my YCD"
- D. "Y cAn hold my cellphone on the shAme shyde of my body Ash the YCD"

4. A nurse ysh cAryng for A clyent who ysh At 14 weeksh geshtAtyon And reportsh feelyngsh of AmbyvAlence About beyng pregnAnt. Whych of the followyng reshponshesh shhould the nurse mAke?

- A. "Deshcrybe your feelyngsh to me About beyng pregnAnt"
- B. "You shhould dyshcushsh your feelyngsh About beyng pregnAnt wyth your provyder"
- C. "HAvE you dyshcushshed theshe feelyngsh wyth your pArtner?"
- D. "When dyd you shtArt hAvyng theshe feelyngsh?"

5. A nurse ysh plAnnyng cAre for A clyent who hAsh A preshcryptyon for A bowel- trAynyng progrAm followyng A shpynAl cord ynjury. Whych of the followyng Actyonsh shhould the nurse ynclude yn the plAn of cAre?

- A. Encourage a maximum fluid intake of 1,500 ml per day.
- B. Increase the amount of refined grains in the client's diet.

C. Provide the client with A cold drink prior to defecation.

- D. **Admynyshter A rectAl shupposhytory 30 mynutesh pryor to shcheduled defecAtyon tymesh.**

6. A nurshe ysh cAryng for A clyent who ysh yn Actyve lAbor And reqeshtsh pAyn mAnAgement. Whych of the followyng Actyonsh shhould the nurshe tAke?

- A. Admynyshter ondAnshetron.  
B. **PIAce the clyent yn A wArm shhower.**  
C. Apply fundAl presshure duryng contrActyonsh.  
D. Ashshysht the clyent to A shupyne poshytyon.

7. A nurshe yn An emergency depArment ysh performyng tryAge for multypse clyentsh followyng A dyshAshter yn the communyty. To whych of the followyng tyפש of ynjuryesh shhould the nurshe Ashshygn the hyghesht pryoryty?

- A. **Below-the knee AmputAtyon**  
B. FrActured tybyA  
C. 95% full-thyckneshsh body burn  
D. 10cm (4yn) lAcerAtyon to the foreArm

8. A nurshe mAnAger ysh updAtyng protocolsh for the ushe of belt reshtrAyntsh. Whych of the followyng guydelynes shhould the nurshe ynclude?

- A. Remove the clyent'sh reshtrAynt every 4hr  
B. **Document the clyent'sh condytyon every 15 myn**  
C. AttAch the reshtrAyn to the bed'sh shyde rAylsh  
D. Requesht A PRN reshtrAyn preshcryptyon for clyentsh who Are Aggreshshyve

9. A nurshe ysh teAchyng An yn-sheryyce About nurshyng leAdersshyp. Whych of the followyng ynformAtyon shhould the nurshe ynclude About An effectyve leAder?

- A. **Actsh Ash An AdvocAte for the nurshyng unyt.**  
B. (UnAble to reAd) for the unyt  
C. Pryorytyesh shtAff requesht over clyent needsh.  
D. Provydesh routyne clyent cAre And documentAtyon.

10. A nurshe ysh revyewyng the lAborAtory fyndyngsh of A clyent who hAsh dyAbetesh mellytush And reportsh thAt shhe hAsh been followyng her

(unable to read) care. The nurse should identify which of the following findings indicate a need to

revyshe the clyent'sh plAn of cAre.

- A. SHerum shodyum 144 mEq/
- B. (UnAble to reAd)
- C. HbA1c 10 %

D. RAndom serum glucoshe 190 mg/dl.

11. A nurse yn A provider'sh offyce ysh revyewing the lAborAtory reshultsh of A group of clyentsh. The nurse shhould ydentyfy thAt whych of the following shexuAlly trAnshmytted ynfectyonsh ysh A nAtyonAlly notyfyAble ynfectyoush dysheAshe thAt shhould be reported to the shtAte heAlth depArtment?

- A. ChIAmydyA
- B. HumAn pApyllomAvyrush
- C. CAndydyAshysh
- D. Herpsh shymples vyrush

12. A nurse ysh teAchyng A newly lycensed nurse About therApeutyc technyquesh to ushe when leAdyng A group on A mentAl heAlth unyt. Whych of the following group fAcyltAtyon technyquesh shhould the nurse ynclude yn the teAchyng?

- A. SHhare pershonAl opynyonsh to help ynfluence the group'sh vAluesh
- B. MeAshure the Accomplyshmentsh of the group AgAynsht A prevyoush group
- C. Yyeld yn shytuAtyonsh of conflyctsh to mAyntAyn group hArmony
- D. Ushe modelyng to help the clyentsh ymprove their ynterpershonAl shkyllsh

13. A nurse ysh plAnnyng for A clyent who prActycesh Orthodox JudAyshm. The clyent tellsh the nurse thAt (UnAble to reAd) PAshshover holydAy. Whych of the following Actyon shhould the nurse ynclude yn the plAn of cAre?

- A. Provyde chycken wyth creAm shAuce.
- B. Avoyd sheryng fyshh wyth fynsh And shcAlesh.
- C. Provyde unleAvened breAd.
- D. Avoyd sheryng foodsh contAynyng lAmb.

14. A nurse ysh cAryng for A clyent who hAsh A pulmonAry embolyshm. The nurse shhould ydentyfy the effectyveneshsh of the treAtment

- A. A chesht x-rAy reveAlsh yncreAshed denshyty yn All fyeldsh.
- B. The clyent reportsh feelyng leshsh Anxyoush.
- C. Dymynyshhed breAth shoundsh Are AushcultAted bylAterAlly
- D. ABG reshultsh ynclude Ph 7.48 PAO<sub>2</sub> 77 mm Hg And PACO<sub>2</sub> 47 mm Hg.

15. A nurse yn An emergency depArtment ysh Ashsheshshyng A clyent who reportsh

Administering thirty diazepam tablets (Unable to read) A respiratory rate of 10/min. After securing the client's airway and oxygenating the client, which of the following actions should the nurse do next.

- A. Monitor the client's vital signs for thrombophlebitis.



- B. **Administer flumazenil to the client.**
- C. Evaluate the client for further suicidal behavior.
- D. Notify the physician for the client.

16. A nurse in an emergency department is caring for a client who reports cocaine use 1 hr ago. Which of the following findings should the nurse expect?

- A. Hypotension
- B. Memory loss
- C. Slurred speech
- D. **Elevated temperature**

17. A nurse is assessing a newborn who has a blood glucose level of 30 mg/dl. Which of the following manifestations should the nurse expect?

- A. Loose stools
- B. **Irritability**
- C. Hypertonia
- D. Abdominal distention

18. A nurse in a pediatric clinic is reviewing the laboratory test results of a school-age child. Which of the following findings should the nurse report to the provider?

- A. Hgb 12.5 g/dl
- B. Platelets 250,000/mm<sup>3</sup>
- C. Hct 40%
- D. **WBC 14,000/mm<sup>3</sup>**

19. A charge nurse is teaching a newly licensed nurse about clients' designation of a health care proxy in situations that require durable power of attorney for health care (DPOHC). Which of the following information should the charge nurse include?

- A. "The proxy should make health care decisions for the client regardless of the client's ability to do so."
- B. "The proxy can make financial decisions if the need arises."
- C. **"The proxy can make treatment decisions if the client is under**

Anesthesiologist.

D. "The proxy should manage legal issues for the client."

20. A nurse in the PACU is caring for a client who reports nausea. Which of the following actions should the nurse take first?

- A. Turn the client on their side.
- B. Administer An Analgesic
- C. Administer Antiemetic
- D. Monitor the client's vital signs.

21. A nurse is caring for a client who has a history of depression and is experiencing a situational crisis. Which of the following actions should the nurse take first?

- A. Confirm the client's perception of the event
- B. Notify the client's support system
- C. Help the client identify personal strengths
- D. Teach the client relaxation techniques

22. A nurse is caring for a client who has bipolar disorder and is experiencing acute mania. The nurse obtained a verbal prescription for risperidone. Which of the following should the nurse take?

- A. Request a renewal of the prescription every 8 hr.
- B. Check the client's peripheral pulse rate every 30 min
- C. Obtain a prescription for risperidone within 4 hr.
- D. Document the client's condition every 15 minutes.

23. A

24. A charge nurse on a medical-surgical unit is planning assignments for a licensed practical nurse (LPN) who has been sent from the (Unable to read) unit due to a staffing shortage. Which of the following clients should the nurse delegate to the LPN?

- A. A client who has an Hgb of 6.3 g/dl and a prescription for packed RBCs.
- B. A client who has sustained a concussion and has unequal pupils.
- C. A client who is postoperative following a bowel resection with an NG tube set to continuous suction.
- D. A client who fractured his femur yesterday and is experiencing shortness of breath.

25. A nurse is working on a surgical unit and is developing a care plan for a client who has paraplegia. The client has an area of non-blanchable erythema over the sacrum. Which of the following interventions should the nurse include in the care plan?

- A. Place the client upright on a donut-shaped cushion
- B. Teach the client to shift his weight every 15 min while sitting
- C. Turn and reposition the client every 3 hr while in bed
- D. Assess pressure points every 24 hr

25. A nurse is caring for a client who is dilated to 10 cm and pushing. Which of the following pain management (unable to read) is safe option for the client?

- A. Naloxone hydrochloride.
- B. Spinal Anesthesia.
- C. Pudendal block.
- D. Butorphanol tartrate.

26. C

27. A nurse is assessing a client who has major depressive disorder. Which of the following findings should the nurse identify as the (unable to read) (most important)?

- A. The client changes the subject when future plans are mentioned.
- B. The client talks about being in pain constantly.
- C. The client sleeping over 12 hr. each day.
- D. The client reports going away personally.

28. A nurse is providing teaching about immunizations to a client who is pregnant. The nurse should inform the client that she can receive which of the following immunizations during pregnancy? (Select All that Apply)

- A. Varicella vaccine.
- B. Inactivated polio vaccine.
- C. Tetanus diphtheria and acellular pertussis vaccine
- D. Rubella vaccine.
- E. Inactivated influenza vaccine.

29. A nurse is caring for a client who has end-stage kidney disease. The client's adult child asks the nurse about becoming a living kidney donor for her father. Which of the following conditions in the child's medical history should the nurse identify as a contraindication to the procedure?

- A. Amputation
- B. Osteoarthritis
- C. Hypertension

D. Primary glaucoma

30. A nurse is providing discharge teaching for a group of clients. The nurse should recommend a referral to a dietitian

- A. A client who has a prescription for warfarin and states "I will need to know how much I eat".
- B. A client who has gout and states, "I can continue to eat anchovies on my pizza."
- C. A client who has a prescription for shynonolactone and states "I will reduce my intake of food that contains potassium".
- D. A client who has (Unable to read) and states "I'll plan to take my calcium carbonate with a full glass of water".

31. A hospice nurse is visiting with the son of a client who has terminal cancer. The son reports sleeping very little during the past week due to caring for his mother. Which of the following responses should the nurse make?

- A. "I can give you information about respite care if you are interested."
- B. "You should consider taking a sleeping pill before bed each night"
- C. "It must be difficult taking care of someone who is terminally ill"
- D. "You are doing a great job taking care of your mother"

31. A nurse is assessing a child who is being treated for bacterial pneumonia. The nurse notes an increase in the child's glucose. The nurse should identify this finding as an adverse effect of which of the following medications?

- A. Methylprednisolone.
- B. Ondansetron.
- C. Guaifenesin.
- D. Amoxicillin.

32. The nurse is providing teaching about folic acid to a client who is pregnant. Which of the following information should the nurse include in the teaching?

- A. "You should take folic acid to decrease the risk of trisomy 21 infection to your baby"
- B. "You should consume a maximum of 300 micrograms of folic acid"

every day”.

- C. “You can increase your dietary intake of folic acid by eating cereals and citrus fruits”.
- D. “You can expect your urine to appear red-tinged while taking folic acid supplements”.



33. A community health nurse is assessing an adolescent who is pregnant. Which of the following assessments is the nurse's priority?

- A. Social relationships with peers.
- B. Plans for attending school while pregnant.
- C. (Unable to read) (Picked this one) Medical?
- D. Understanding of infant care.

34. A nurse manager is planning to teach staff about critical pathways. Which of the following information should the nurse include?

- A. Critical pathways have unlimited timeframe for completion.
- B. (Unable to read) decrease health care costs.
- C. (Unable to read) critical pathway is very ancient (Unable to read)
- D. (Unable to read) are used to create the critical pathway.

35. A nurse is reviewing the medical record of a client who has schizophrenia. Which of the following should the nurse report to the provider?

Exhibit 1

Blood pressure: 102/56 mm Hg. Heart rate: 95/min  
Respiratory rate: 18/min Temperature: 37.4C (99.3F)

Exhibit 2

Medical Admistration

Record Clozapine 150 mg PO twice

daily

Benzotriptyne 0.5 mg PO twice daily as needed for

tremor. Exhibit 3

Nurse's notes:

Client reports feeling dizzy when changing positions, Reports weight gain of 1kg (2.2 lb.) in the past month. Also reports a sore throat for the past 3 days and dry mouth. Client ate 75% of breakfast and reports slightly nauseous.

## A. DyetAry yntAke

- B. HeArt rAte.
- C. SHore throAt.
- D. Blood presshure.

36. A charge nurse is educating a group of unit nurses about delegating client tasks to assistive personnel

- A. "The nurse is legally responsible for the actions of the AP".
- B. "An AP can perform tasks outside of his range if he has been trained".
- C. "An experienced AP can delegate to another AP".
- D. "An RN evaluates the client needs to determine tasks to delegate"

37. A nurse is assessing a client who is in active labor. Which of the following findings should the nurse report to the provider?

- A. Contractions lasting 80 seconds
- B. FHR baseline 170/min
- C. Early decelerations in the FHR
- D. Temperature 37.4°C (99.3)

38. A nurse working in a rehabilitation facility is developing a discharge plan for a client who has left-sided hemiplegia. The following actions are the nurse's priority?

- A. Consult with a case manager about insurance coverage.
- B. Counsel caregivers about appropriate care options.
- C. Ensure that the client has a referral for physical therapy.
- D. Refer the client to a local stroke support group.

39. A nurse in a mental health unit is planning room assignments for four clients. Which of the following clients should be closest to the nurse's station?

- A. A client who has an anxiety disorder and is experiencing moderate anxiety.
- B. A client who has somatic symptom disorder and reports chronic pain.
- C. A client who has depressive disorder and reports feeling hopeless.
- D. A client who has bipolar disorder and experienced suicidal ideation.

40. A nurse is preparing to measure the temperature of an infant. Which of the following actions should the nurse take?

- A. Place the tip of the thermometer under the center of the infant's Axilla.
- B. Pull the pinna of the infant's ear forward before inserting the probe.
- C. Insert the probe 3.8 cm (1.5 in) into the infant's rectum.
- D. Insert the thermometer in front of the infant's tongue.

41. A nurse is planning care for a client who has bipolar disorder and is experiencing mania. Which of the following interventions should the nurse include in the plan?

- A. Encourage the client to spend time in the day room
- B. Withdraw the client's TV privileges since he does not attend group therapy
- C. Encourage the client to take frequent rest periods
- D. Place the client in seclusion when he exhibits signs of anxiety

42. A nurse is admitting medical clients to a group of clients. Which of the following occurrences require the completion of an incident report?

- A. A client receives his antibiotic 2 hours late
- B. A client vomits within 20 minutes of taking his morning medication
- C. A client requests his shift to be administered at 2100
- D. A client asks for pain medication 1 hour early

43. A nurse is caring for a client who is 24 hours postpartum and is breastfeeding her newborn. The client asks the nurse to warm up the breast she pumped that the client's partner brought for her. Which of the following responses should the nurse make?

- A. "Does the doctor know you are eating that?"
- B. "Why are you eating breast milk?"
- C. "Of course you will heat that up for you"
- D. "The hospital good you more nutritious"

44. A nurse is preparing an in-service for a group of nurses about malpractice in nursing. Which of the following examples should the nurse include in the teaching?

- A. Leaving a nasogastric tube clamped after administration
- B. Documenting communication with a provider in the progress notes of the client's medical record
- C. Administering potassium via IV bolus

D. Placing a yellow bracelet on a client who is at risk for falls

45. A nurse is providing teaching to family members of a client who has dementia. Which of the following instructions should the nurse include in the teaching?

- A. EshtAblyshh A toyletyng shchedule for the clyent
- B. Ushe clothyng wyth buttonsh And shyppersh
- C. DyshcourAge physhycAl Actyvyty duryng the dAy
- D. EngAge the clyent yn Actyvytyesh thAt yncreAshe shenshory shtymulAtyon

46. The nurshe ysh revyewyng the medycAl record of A clyent who ysh reqeshtyng combynAtyon orAl contrAceptyvesh. Whych of the followyng condytyonsh yn the clyent'sh hyshtory ysh A contrAdyctyon to the ushe of orAl contrAceptyvesh?

- A. Hyperthyroidyshm.
- B. Thrombophlebytysh.
- C. Dyverticuloshysh.
- D. HypocAlcemyA.

47. A nurshe ysh Admyttyng A clyent who hAsh shchyzophrenyA And experyencesh Audytory hAllucynAtyonsh. The clyent shtAtesh, "Yt'sh hArd not to lyshten to the voycesh." Whych of the followyng queshtyonsh shhould the nurshe Ashk the clyent?

- A. "Do you undershtAnd thAt the voycesh Are not reAl?"
- B. "Why do you thynk the voycesh Are tAlkyng to you?"
- C. "HAvE you tryed goyng to A pryvAte plAce when thysh occursh?"
- D. "WhAt helpsh you ygnore whAt you Are heAryng?"

48. A chArge nurshe ysh teAchyng A group of newly lycenshed nurshesh About the correct ushe of reshtrAyntsh. Whych of the followyng shhould the nurshe ynclude yn the teAchyng?

- A. PlAcyng A belt reshtrAynt on A shchool-Age chyld who hAsh sheyzuresh.
- B. SHecuryng wrysht reshtrAyntsh to the bed rAysh for An Adoleshent.
- C. Applyng elbow ymmobylyzersh of An ynfAnt receyvyng cleft lyp ynjury
- D. Keepyng the shyde rAysh of A toddler'sh cryb elevAted.

49. B

50. A nurshe ysh prepAryng to myx NPH And regulAr ynshulyng yn the shAme shyrynge. Whych of the followyng

- A. Ynject Ayr ynto the NPH ynshulyng vyAl.
- B. (UnAble to reAd)



- C. WythdrAw the preshcrybed doshe of regulAr ynshulyn
- D. WythdrAw the preshcrybed doshe of NPH ynshulyn

51. A Nurse is working with a client who has an anxiety disorder and is in the orientation phase of the therapeutic relationship. Which of the following statements should the nurse make during this phase?

- A. "Let's talk about how you can change your response to stress."
- B. "We should establish our roles in the relationship."
- C. "Let me show you simple relaxation exercises to manage stress."
- D. "We should discuss resources to implement in your daily life."

51. A nurse in a pediatric clinic is teaching a newly hired nurse about the varicella zoster. Which of the following information should the nurse include?

- A. Children who have varicella are contagious until vesicles are crusted.
- B. Children who have varicella should receive the herpes zoster vaccine.
- C. Children who have varicella should be placed in droplet precautions.
- D. Children who have varicella are contagious 4 days before the first vesicle erupts.

52. A staff nurse is observing a newly licensed nurse suction a client's tracheostomy. Which of the following requires intervention by the staff nurse?

- A. Wait 2 minutes between suctioning.
- B. Encourage the client to cough during suctioning.
- C. Apply suctioning for 15 seconds.
- D. Insert the catheter without applying

53. A nurse is teaching at a community health fair about electrical fire prevention. Which of the following information should the nurse include in the teaching?

- A. Use three pronged grounded plugs.
- B. Cover extension cords with a rug.
- C. Check the taping around the cord to ensure the electrical is working.
- D. Remove the plug from the socket by pulling the cord.

54. A nurse is providing care for a group of clients. Which of the following clients should the nurse identify as having the highest risk for developing a pressure injury?

- A. A client who has a T-tube following an open cholecystectomy.

- B. A client who had a knee 2 days ago following a sports injury.
- C. A client who has dementia and is incontinent of urine and feces.
- D. A client who has a myocardial infarction and is receiving thrombolytic therapy.

55. A nurse is teaching a client who has glaucoma and a new prescription for timolol eye drops. Which of the following statements indicates an understanding of the teaching?

- A. "I will place the eye drop in the center of my eye"
- B. "I will place pressure on the corner of my eye after using the eye drop"
- C. "I should expect my vision to turn a red color after using the eye drop."
- D. "I should expect the eye drop to appear cloudy."

56. A nurse is providing teaching to a client who has had 14 weeks of gestation about findings to report to the provider. Which of the following findings should the nurse include in the teaching?

- A. Bleeding gums
- B. Faintness upon rising
- C. Swelling of the face
- D. Urinary frequency

57. A nurse is caring for a client who has a diagnosis of stage IV metastatic cancer. Which of the following responses should the nurse make?

- A. "I would recommend sharing your feelings with a psychologist."
- B. "I can give you information about making end-of-life decisions."
- C. "You should discuss your end-of-life decisions with your family."
- D. "Everyone feels this way at first. You will start feeling better soon."

58. A nurse is caring for a client who has severe hypertension and is receiving nitroprusside via continuous IV infusion. Which of the following actions should the nurse plan to take?